



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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**Requesting Department:** Water  
CIP Program Management Division  
600 B Street, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Diego, CA 92101

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<b>Title:</b>	<b>Design Civil Engineering Consultants for Two Reclaimed Water Pipeline Projects</b>
<b>Submittal Due Date:</b>	Friday, August 22, 2003
<b>Project Manager:</b>	Kirk Whitaker, (619) 533-6601

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The City of San Diego is considering hiring one engineering consultant to design the Los Peñasquitos Canyon Reclaimed Water Pipeline, and another to design the Carmel Valley Reclaimed Water Pipeline. Submit only one Statement of Qualifications (SOQ). Due to potential State and Federal grant funding, both of these projects may need to be designed in a relatively short time frame. Potential design consultants shall demonstrate expertise in quickly designing water transmission and distribution projects in environmentally sensitive habitat, understanding local, State and Federal regulations, and communicating effectively with contractors and the public. A brief description of each project is listed below. Consultants wishing consideration should submit the following for Nominating Committee review: one (1) original and eighteen (18) copies of response to the Request for Qualifications (RFQ). No supplemental information will be accepted. Submittals should be stapled, not bound. Neither plastic covers nor dividers are acceptable as part of the submittal. Your firm's Statement of Qualifications Questionnaire (included in RFQ) must include a Professional Registration Number. All proposed Subconsultants must be listed on Page 4 of the Qualification Questionnaire.

**COMMITMENT TO EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:**

It is the policy of the City of San Diego to encourage equal opportunity in its professional services contracts. Toward this end, proposals from small businesses, disabled owned businesses, women owned businesses, firms owned by African-Americans, Native Americans, Asian-Americans, Filipinos and Latinos, and local firms are strongly encouraged. Prime Consultants are encouraged to subconsult or joint venture with these firms. The City endeavors to do business with firms sharing the City's commitment to equal opportunity and will not do business with any firm that discriminates on the basis of race, religion, color, ancestry, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, medical condition, or place of birth.

**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS PACKAGES:**

RFQ packages will be available for pick-up beginning July 25, 2003, at the City of San Diego Water Department, CIP Program Management Division, 600 B Street, 7<sup>th</sup> floor, San Diego, CA 92101, (619) 533-4242.

**SUBMIT INFORMATION TO:**

John Mendivil  
Consultant Services Coordinator  
Equal Opportunity Contracting  
1010 Second Avenue, Suite 500  
San Diego, CA 92101

SOQs must be received by 4:30 p.m., Friday, August 22, 2003. Submit one SOQ to cover both reclaimed water pipeline projects. There will be a Pre-Submittal Conference on August 11, 2003, at 600 B Street, 8<sup>th</sup> floor, in Room 8A from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. If you have any questions about the RFQ or the Pre-Submittal Conference please contact Morris Nelson IV, Senior Contract Specialist, at (619) 533-5342. Technical questions should be directed to Kirk Whitaker, Associate Engineer at (619) 533-6601.

**LOS PEÑASQUITOS CANYON RECLAIMED WATER PIPELINE:**

The project will install approximately 8,000 feet of 24 inch reclaimed water pipeline between the Canyonside Reclaimed Water Pump Station located in the Canyonside Park, through the park and Los Peñasquitos Canyon to a future pipeline located approximately 1,000 feet North along Camino Del Sur. A program level EIR was approved for this project with the understanding that the pipeline alignment through the park and Preserve would only disturb a 30 foot wide easement. The current conditions of this alignment include paved park access roads, unpaved access roads, City designated trails, and natural vegetation. Given the design requirements the designer selected is to design the project not to exceed the total estimated construction budget of \$2.5 million.

**CARMEL VALLEY RECLAIMED WATER PIPELINE:**

The project will install approximately 16,000 feet of a combination of 8 and 12 inch reclaimed water pipeline. The project will extend an existing 12 inch reclaimed water line on Camino Santa Fe north of SR-56 to an existing reclaimed water line being installed as part of the SR-56 project. From there the pipeline will reduce in size to 8 inches and continue South to the Meadows at Del Mar golf course. The current conditions along the alignment include roads, bike trail, a stream crossing, and is fairly close to some residential developments. Given the design requirements the designer selected is to design the project not to exceed the total estimated construction budget of \$1.9 million.